## ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

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## Sand Point Commercial Salmon Fishery Announcement # 18 For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-22-12

Commercial salmon fishing will be allowed in the South Central District (excluding the East Pavlof Bay Section north of the latitude of Black Point) and Shumagin Islands portion of the Southeastern District for approximately 36 hours from noon Monday, July 23 until 11:59 p.m. Tuesday, July 24, 2012.

## Closed waters

The East Pavlof Bay Section of the South Central District will remain closed to commercial salmon fishing.

All closed waters in the above locations will be as described in the regulation book or as adjusted by emergency order.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

 $\underline{http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=} commercial by area a kpeninsula.salmon.$ 

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channels 6 and 73 daily at 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Sand Point at 383-2334 (383-ADFG).